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Attention: Meena Khanna

Subject: Project No. 704 – BWRVIP Response to NRC Supplementary Request for
Additional Information on BWRVIP-34

- References:
1. Letter from Stephanie M. Coffin (NRC) to Bill Eaton (BWRVIP Chairman), "Supplementary Request for Additional Information – Review of BWR Vessel and Internals Project Report, BWRVIP-34, Technical Basis for Part Circumference Weld Overlay Repair of Vessel Internal Core Spray Piping," dated October 7, 2004.
 2. Letter from Carl Terry (BWRVIP Chairman) to Document Control Desk (NRC), "BWR Vessel and Internals Project Technical Basis for Part Circumference Weld Overlay Repair of Vessel Internal Core Spray Piping (BWRVIP-34)," dated May 22, 1997.

Enclosed are ten (10) copies of the BWRVIP response to the NRC Supplementary Request for Additional Information (RAI) on the BWRVIP report entitled "BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Technical Basis for Part Circumference Weld Overlay Repair of Vessel Internal Core Spray Piping (BWRVIP-34)" that was transmitted to the BWRVIP by the Reference 1 NRC letter identified above. The enclosure repeats each of the requests for information from the NRC verbatim followed by the BWRVIP response to that request.

Please note that the enclosed document contains proprietary information. Therefore, the request to withhold the BWRVIP-34 report from public disclosure transmitted to the NRC by the Reference 2 letter identified above also applies to the enclosed document.

If you have any questions on this subject, please contact Denver Atwood (Southern Nuclear, BWRVIP Repair Focus Group Chairman) by telephone at 205.992.7461.

Sincerely,



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